

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1099  
By Turner (Ham)

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Erin Lemon, 2002  
Salutatorian of Chattanooga Central High  
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Erin Lemon is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Chattanooga Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Lemon has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Erin Lemon has earned an exemplary grade point average; she has won awards in English in the 9th and 10th grades, an award in Biology in the 9th grade, awards in World Studies and Physical Science in the 10th grade, and the Xerox Award in the 11th grade; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lemon has been a Band member for four years and First Sergeant in the 12th grade; a member of the Principal's Student Advisory Council, the Student Council and

the Model United Nations in the 11th grade; and a member of the Model United Nations, Student Council Secretary, and Spanish Club President in the 12th grade; and

WHEREAS, Erin Lemon's outstanding academic qualifications have resulted in her membership in the Mu Alpha Theta honor society for three years and membership in the Beta Club and the National Honor Society for two years; she was also a 2000-2001 member of Youth Leadership Chattanooga and attended the prestigious Governor's School for International Studies; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lemon's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she will be attending Agnes Scott College on a Presidential Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Erin Lemon's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lemon's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2002 Chattanooga Central High School Salutatorian, Erin Lemon, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.